

A TERRIFIC STORM.

Thrilling Experience of a Steamer at Port of Spain.

New York, Oct. 28.—Captain M. Vanderest, of the steamer Orange Nassau, relates a thrilling experience encountered at the harbor of Port of Spain, Trinidad, with the tail of a furious hurricane.

The captain said that the steamer was at Port of Spain to take on a cargo of sugar October 6. The sugar was taken on from lighters run alongside of the steamer. A number men were on each lighter engaged in transferring the bags of sugar to the Orange Nassau. In the early part of the day the weather was somewhat rough, but not enough so to interfere with the work of taking on the cargo. At noon the captain noticed the sky to be unusually cast off in the northwest. He thought that a heavy storm was coming up, but did not worry about it as he considered himself safe in the harbor. The storm with a great suddenness struck the steamer and swept part of the harbor with terrific force. The steamer rolled over under the force of the wind but righted herself again without sustaining any damage.

A heavy pall darkened the heavens and the hurricane whistled and shrieked like a thousand demons on a debauch. The lighters received the full brunt of the hurricane. As the blow struck them, the crew were at their different stations of work not expecting any danger. The lighters were struck with great suddenness and keeled over under the shock. A mass of water rose above them and dashed over deck, pouring down the hold. The lighter righted again just as a tremendous sea came rolling in. The three lighters were picked up on this, and as it curled over they staggered under the awful force of the wind and went sliding down the big wave. The sea burst over them under the surface. Parts of them were visible for a time and then quickly disappeared from view.

Some of the men who were on the lighters succeeded in scrambling into the steamer by the chains and ropes.

One man was struggling in the water alongside the steamer, and Captain Vanderest threw a rope to him and pulled him on board.

The captain left the port next day, but could not learn how many men were drowned. He said he thought that several lives had been lost.

On board the three lighters were eighty tons of sugar, which went down to the bottom and of course became a total loss.

A BLOODY AFFRAY.

A Murder in Florida Grows Out of a Quarrel About a Woman.

MADISON, Fla., Oct. 27.—A duel occurred near here this afternoon in which George Graham, a northern man who had recently come here to superintend the business of the tobacco syndicate, was shot and killed by Joe Dickerson, a well known negro. The affray took place on the Quitman road, three-quarters of a mile from Madison Court House. Dickerson had ridden out of town and a short time afterward Graham and John Coffee went out on the same road. None of the parties lived on that road. When Graham and Coffee got to a valley they met Dickerson and without any warning began firing at them. He fired several times. The first shot at Graham was fatal. Dickerson then fired at Coffee who pulled his revolver and returned the fire. Coffee emptied his pistol and then wheeled and ran into town for assistance.

The murderer took to the woods. Graham was shot in the head, the ball ranging from above the right eye to behind the left ear. The body was brought to town by a party which Coffee hastily raised. A posse went in search of Dickerson, but returned without him. Another posse was organized by the sheriff and it is now in search of Dickerson. It is believed that the fugitive is going west in the direction of Jefferson county. The cause of the quarrel between Graham and Dickerson is supposed to have been about a woman.

A Tardy Reform.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 28.—Governor Northen, in his annual message to the legislature to-day, takes ground against the crime of lynching. He alludes to cases where persons in the custody of the sheriff have been captured and killed by lawless assemblages, and recommends the enactment of laws to clearly define the duties of the sheriffs, which will include the summoning of a posse when necessary to assist him in arresting and holding violators of the peace; and also the passage of laws inflicting penalties upon persons who refuse to assist a sheriff in the performance of his proper functions when called upon to do so.

A Big Murder Docket.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 28.—The present term of the criminal court presents a ghastly array of homicide cases. Sixteen murderers, men and women, are lying in the county prison awaiting their trial for taking the life of a fellow being. A man named Hartnett has pleaded guilty to manslaughter in killing his mistress, and another, Peter Sweeney, entered the same plea for the brutal killing of his wife. Robert Braxton, colored, also entered a plea of guilty of murder in the second degree for killing Emma Logan.

Metz Anniversary.

BERLIN, Oct. 27.—A banquet was given at the Kaiserhof this evening in commemoration of the capitulation of Metz and in honor of the late Prince Frederick Charles. Emperor William, who presided at the banquet, extolled the prince's services to the army and to the fatherland.

Noted Tanager Dead.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Fred Vogel, aged seventy, died suddenly from apoplexy on board the steamer Lahn en route from Europe October 23. He was one of the largest tanagers in the United States. His body will be taken to his home in Milwaukee.

Minstrel Billy West Married.

New York, Oct. 28.—William H. West, the minstrel, married last night Miss Emma Hanley at his summer home at Bensonhurst-by-the-Sea.

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Too Much of a Risk.

It is not unusual for colds contracted in the fall to hang on all winter. In such cases catarrh or chronic bronchitis are almost sure to result. A fifty-cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure any cold. Can you afford to risk so much for so small an amount? This remedy is intended especially for colds and croup and can always be depended upon. DAW

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BELLALURE.

All Sorts of Local News and Gossip from the Glass City.

The Republican club here will go to Bridgeport this evening to help elect the nation to be given Col. C. L. Fournier, the candidate for Congress at this place. The boys are warning up in the interest of the colored and he will win more than his party would expect. Every member of the club is giving personal attention to the matter and it may be depended upon that Bellalure will do her part to have a congressman from this city.

The entertainment at the First M. E. church by the mission band was well attended. Mrs. James Milligan and little Bertie personated a homely woman and child and twelve little girls all dressed in Chinese costume rendered a motion song, all of which was highly pleasing to the audience.

But caney was fined \$5 and costs, \$4 in all, for selling liquor to minors. Caney is the man who furnished the liquor to the boys in the party with Arthur Crimmet who was found in such a pitiable state of intoxication last Sunday.

Hon. Charles Foster, secretary of the U. S. Treasury, will be here on Wednesday evening of next week, and it is the intention to give him a rousing meeting, in which part of the Wheeling clubs and Benwood will participate.

Thoburn, the ten-year-old son of Hon. A. T. McClellan, touched off some loose powder with a match, and as a result is confined to his bed with a powder burned face, and it is feared his eyes are permanently injured.

George Ramsey, the old man who was crippled by falling into a pit in the C. & P. railroad yard, was taken to the county infirmary, where he will have a home this winter.

O. P. Mason and Emil Schmidt went down to the river yesterday drunk hunting and succeeded in bagging eight from their hiding place on one of the bridge piers.

Roy Ray and family leave this morning for New Castle, Pa., where Roy has secured a more lucrative position as one of the "regulators" in a steel works.

Mr. Thomas Jones and bride, nee Miss Maggie Schramm, have returned from their wedding tour, and will go to housekeeping on Gravel Hill.

Harry Chesboro, of the Harry Markham company, has been laid up here with pneumonia ever since that company was in town.

The musical recital at the home of Mrs. J. A. Gallaher this afternoon is open to all persons interested in classic music.

George Westlake, the twin ball player who spent the past season in Mobile, Ala., is home for the winter.

MARTIN'S FERRY

Celebrates Columbus Day in Great Style.

Big Procession and Lots of Oratory.

The Republican marching club will march in Bridgeport to-night, Martin's Ferry Monday night, Bellalure Wednesday night, and Pittsburgh Saturday night. The club will go to Pittsburgh on a special car on the Pan Handle road, seventy-five strong. The train, a special, will leave Wheeling about 3 p. m., arriving in Pittsburgh about 5 p. m. The club will get on the train at the top mill and get off at this point returning. A drum corps will accompany it. The fare for the round trip will be \$1.50.

Every member of the Republican marching club should turn out to-night and go to Bridgeport to take part in the short parade that will precede the speaking of Col. C. L. Fournier. The club will leave the city building at 7 o'clock sharp.

Invitations are out for the reception to be held by Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson at their residence on the corner of Walnut and Seventh street, next Tuesday evening, from 8 to 10 o'clock.

Congressman Pearson will speak at the Opera House to-night for the Democrats. The meeting will be preceded by a parade. The clubs in all the surrounding towns have been invited.

An invitation has been received by the Republican Escort Club to participate in the Mother Hubbard parade in Wheeling November 7. Several of the boys will take part in it.

Chairman Dick, of the Republican state committee, writes that Hon. Richard Guenther, who is expected here next Monday evening, is a fine orator.

Rev. W. H. Cook, D. D., pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, of Wheeling, preached in the Presbyterian church, this city, last evening. The ladies are cordially invited to attend the Guenther meeting at the Martin's Ferry opera house next Monday evening.

Miss Sarah Coffin, of Lynn, Mass., is visiting friends here. She was formerly a teacher of this city.

The Rev. A. W. Butts will address the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow afternoon on "How to Believe." Sheriff Scott was in town yesterday appraising the Rothermund property.

"The Pay Train" drew a large house last night.

MOUNDSVILLE.

A Miscellaneous Melange of Minor Matters from Marshall's Metropolis.

A young man named Leroy Donley was here yesterday searching for traces of his sister, whom he has not seen for eighteen years. They were left orphans when he was four years old and his sister was ten. The family with whom Leroy was left went west and his sister was left with a family here. Since that time he has heard nothing from her and after a residence of eighteen years in Kansas he has returned to seek her. Her name was Jane Donley and she would now be twenty-eight years old. He found people here who remember his mother, who died when smallpox, but no one so far has been found who knows anything of his sister.

The Republicans of this city are preparing for a grand demonstration on Thursday evening, November 3. A number of Wheeling clubs, including the Escort club and the Knights of Protection, have accepted the invitation and will be present, as will also clubs from Benwood, Cameron and many other points. Should the weather continue fine, this will be the biggest blowout ever given here.

Hon. R. E. East, of Morgantown, has been stumping in Marshall this week. He addressed meetings at Rockdale, Chambers, Viola and Dallas, and will deliver an address this afternoon at a pole raising in Franklin district. He has aroused great enthusiasm wherever he appeared and has done much good for the cause by his able presentation of the issues of the campaign.

The ladies of the Catholic church are preparing to hold a fair at the hall November 25, 26 and 27. Special and attractive features are being arranged for each evening.

The grand jury was in session yesterday. A number of indictments for selling liquor without a license were brought in.

The ministerial conference of the M. E. church of this conference district was in session here Thursday and Friday.

Hon. C. L. Reems, of St. Clairsville, Ohio, will address the Republicans of Moundsville Tuesday evening.

Judge D. J. McDaid, of Iowa, is stumping in Marshall at the present time.

CURE FOR CROUP.—Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil according to directions. It is the best remedy for all sudden attacks of colds, pain and inflammation, and injuries. DAW

LA. Groceries dry goods the cheapest.

Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

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NATIONAL.

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For Vice-President, ADLAI E. STEVENSON, Of Illinois.

For Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States, SAMUEL S. VINSON, Of Ceredo, Wayne County.

C. WOOD DAILEY, Of Keyser, Mineral County.

MELVILLE D. POST, Of Romney's Mills, Harrison County.

B. L. HUTCHER, Of Beverly, Randolph County.

JOHN A. PRESTON, Of Lewisburg, Greenbrier County.

JOHN G. MCCLUER, Of Parkersburg, Wood County.

CONGRESSIONAL.

For Representative in the Congress of the United States, for the First District, JOHN O. PENDLETON, Of Wheeling, Ohio County.

STATE.

For Governor, WILLIAM A. MACCORKLE, Of Charleston, Kanawha County.

For Auditor, ISAAC V. JOHNSON, Of Philippi, Barbour County.

For Treasurer, JOHN M. ROWAN, Of Union, Monroe County.

For State Superintendent of Free Schools, VIRGIL A. LEWIS, Of Mason City, Mason County.

For Attorney General, THOMAS S. RILEY, Of Wheeling, Ohio County.

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J. R. MCGREGOR, Of Central Station, Doddridge County.

J. F. SHAFFER, Of Terra Alta, Preston County.

W. F. HANK, Of Pack's Ferry, Summers County.

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L. C. SHINN, Of Shinnston, Harrison County.

L. N. HOUSTON, Of Pleasant Valley, Marshall County.